

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of the Claims:**

1-20. (canceled).

21. (currently amended) A mobile phone, comprising:  
a housing having a front face and a first side face substantially perpendicular to the front face;  
a display disposed in and outwardly directed from the front face of the housing;  
~~a thumbpad disposed in and outwardly directed from the front face of the housing and below the display, the thumb pad utilized for display navigation and display option selection; and~~  
a number keypad disposed in and outwardly directed from the first side face, the number keypad consisting of a single aligned row of at least ten depressible input keys numbered from 0 through 9.

22. (currently amended) The mobile phone of claims 21, wherein the ~~number keypad and the thumbpad are~~ is disposed in the housing such that when held in a hand, at least one finger of the hand can depress an input key of the at least ten depressible input keys on the first side face ~~while a thumb on the hand can manipulate the thumbpad on the front face.~~

23. (previously presented) The mobile phone of claim 21, wherein the side face has a length and a depth, wherein the at least ten depressible input keys are linearly aligned on the side face along the length of the side face.

24. (previously presented) The mobile phone of claim 21, wherein the first side face is a right side face with respect to the front face such that the number keypad is on the right side face.

25. (currently amended) The mobile phone of claim 22, wherein the first side face is a right side face with respect to the front face such that the housing is held in a left hand to allow simultaneous manipulation of the number keypad and the thumbpad.

26. (previously presented) The mobile phone of claim 21, wherein the first side face is a left side face with respect to the front face such that the number keypad is on the left side face.

27. (currently amended) The mobile phone of claim 22, wherein the first side face is a left side face with respect to the front face such that the housing is held in a right hand to allow simultaneous manipulation of the number keypad and the thumbpad.

28. (previously presented) The mobile phone of claim 21, wherein the front face has a width  $W$  and a length  $L$ , and wherein a ration of the length  $L$  to the width  $W$  is greater than 4.

29. (previously presented) The mobile phone of claim 21, wherein the number keypad further comprises a "\*" key and a "#", and wherein the at least ten depressible input keys numbered from 0 through 9 further correspond to letters "a" through "z" in conformance with a standard telephone keypad.

30-40. (cancelled).

41. (new) The mobile phone of claim 21, wherein the front face is keypad-less.

42. (new) The mobile phone of claim 21, further including a thumbpad disposed in and outwardly directed from the front face of the housing and below the display, the thumbpad utilized for display navigation and display option selection.

43. (new) The mobile phone of claim 21, wherein the depressible input keys at least partially overlap the front face.